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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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**DATE August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011**

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### **2011 RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM**

Rockford – Effective August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011

#### **City Wide Street Repair Program**

Construction on the City Wide Street Repair program will continue during the week of August 8<sup>th</sup> and proceed through the end of the summer. Repairs include but are not limited to blacktop patching, small curb repairs, sidewalk installation and drainage repairs. Residents at each location will be notified via hand delivered letters. Construction is anticipated to take no longer than two weeks at each individual location.

The following streets are anticipated to have construction activity during the week of August 8<sup>th</sup>

<b>Project Location</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>
Washington Street	State Street	2 <sup>nd</sup> Avenue
7 <sup>th</sup> Street	Charles Street	RR Avenue
Cottage Grove Avenue	Hancock Street	

#### **Residential Resurfacing Program**

Construction on the City Wide Residential Resurfacing program will continue during the week of August 8<sup>th</sup> and proceed through the end of the summer. Repairs include but are not limited to blacktop patching, small curb repairs, sidewalk installation and drainage repairs. Residents at each location will be notified via USPS delivered letters. Construction is anticipated to take approximately 5 to 6 weeks at each location.

The following streets are anticipated to have construction activity during the week of August 8<sup>th</sup>:

<b>Street Name</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>
Church Street	Van Wie Avenue	Fulton Avenue
Dresden Avenue	Huffman Boulevard	Ridge Avenue
Barton Boulevard	Huffman Boulevard	Ridge Avenue
Latham Street	Halsted Road	Belmont Boulevard
Louise Street	Halsted Road	Belmont Boulevard
Westbrook Drive	Deer Path Road	North View Road
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Kimball Road	Pepper Drive	Crawford Drive
Southbridge Road	Landau Place	Sunderman Road
Welsh Road	Springcreek Road	Welsh Court
Bordeaux Drive	Crestdale Drive	End
Crampton Court	Crampton Lane	Cul-de-sac
Old Millstone Road	Springlake Drive	Suffolk Place
Haddon Place	Fawnridge Drive	Weymouth Drive
Flower Hill Road	Lark Rise	Hedgecliff Drive

### **City Wide Alley Reconstruction Program**

During the week of August 8<sup>th</sup>, various alleys throughout the city will be under continued construction. Reconstructed alleys will be rebuilt with new concrete pavement, aprons, and improved drainage where possible. Construction on each individual alley is anticipated to take approximately two weeks to complete. Residents will be notified when construction begins to remove their cars from the alley so concrete can be placed. There will be a 7 to 14 day period when residents cannot drive on the alley while the concrete cures. Construction will be completed by Mid-Summer.

### **City Wide Arterial Resurfacing Program**

During the week of August 8<sup>th</sup>, various arterial streets throughout the city will be under continued construction.

Construction areas are as follows:

<b>Street Name</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>
Garrett Lane	Mulford Road	Trainer Road
Avon Street	Mulberry Street	School Street
Rote Road	Lyford Road	Bell School Road
Lyford Road	State Street	Rote Road
Fulton Avenue	Cumberland Avenue	Main Street
Rural Street	Prospect Avenue	Calvin Park Boulevard
Custer Avenue	Ridge Avenue	Huffman Boulevard

The above streets are generally anticipated to remain open to traffic throughout the construction process; however road closures may take place pending construction activity. Motorists are encouraged to find alternate routes to ease congestion.

Questions regarding the above projects should be directed to Colin Simpson in the Public Works Department at (815) 987-5570.